

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS


As this Amendment corrects errors in two dependent claims to make them consistent with the independent claim from which they depend, it is respectfully requested that this Amendment be considered and entered by the Examiner for the presently allowed application. The amended claims as cited herein also incorporate the Examiner's Amendment issued with the Notice of Allowability on May 27, 2004. No new matter has been added and support for the correction can be found in Claim 1. It is respectfully submitted that the claim amendments do not present any new issues of enablement or allowability, and, as such, should be entered in their entirety.

The issue and publication fees are being paid concurrently herewith.

If there are any questions concerning this Amendment, the Examiner is encouraged to call the undersigned attorney.

Respectfully submitted,

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